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SEASON REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING WITH THE EIGHTHSATURDAY IN 1944.

(19TH FEBRUARY 1944).

Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 19th February 1944.

District and Station	This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1944: This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (—) of col. 4 compared with col. 5
1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
BANGALORE.					
Bangalore City and Taluk ..	0 16	0 01	0 16	0 41	—0 25
Hoskote ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 31	—0 31
Dodballapur ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 44	—0 44
Nelamangala ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 24	—0 24
Kankanhalli ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 29	—0 29
Magadi ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 41	—0 41
Channapatna ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 36	—0 36
Anekal ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 45	—0 45
Devanhalli ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 40	—0 40
Closepet ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 37	—0 37
Dist. Average ..	0 02	0 02	0 02	0 37	—0 35
KOLAR.					
Kolar ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 58	—0 58
Bowringpet ..	0 00	0 07	0 00	0 61	—0 61
Chintamani ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 42	—0 42
Mulbagal ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 77	—0 77
Sidlaghatta ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 48	—0 48
Chikballapur ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 62	—0 62
Bagepalli ..	0 22	0 00	0 22	0 29	—0 07
Goribidnur ..	0 30	0 04	0 30	0 35	—0 05
Malur ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 52	—0 52
Srinivaspur ..	0 00	0 12	0 00	0 64	—0 64
Gudibanda ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 48	—0 48
Dist. Average ..	0 05	0 03	0 05	0 53	—0 48
TUMKUR.					
Tumkur ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 20	—0 20
Madhugiri ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 36	—0 36
Chiknaikanhalli ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 25	—0 25
Sira ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 35	—0 35
Gubbi ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 18	—0 18
Tiptur ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 19	—0 19
Pavagada ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 39	—0 39
Kunigal ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 18	—0 18
Kortagere ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 34	—0 34
Turuvekere ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 24	—0 24
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 27	—0 27
MYSORE.					
Mysore ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 34	—0 34
Chamarajnagar ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 32	—0 32
Hunsur ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 32	—0 32
Krishnarajnagar ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 30	—0 30
Heggaddevankote ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 39	—0 39
Gundlupet ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 45	—0 45
Nanjangud ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 49	—0 49
T. Narsipur ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 34	—0 34
Periyapatna ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 42	—0 42
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 38	—0 38

Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 19th February 1944—concld.

District and Station	This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1944: This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (—) of col. 4 compared with col. 5
1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
MANDYA.					
Mandya ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 37	—0 37
Seringapatam ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 35	—0 35
Malvalli ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 22	—0 22
Krishnarajpete ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 26	—0 26
Nagamangala ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 30	—0 30
Maddur ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 30	—0 30
French-Rocks ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 33	—0 33
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 30	—0 30
HASSAN.					
Hassan ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 34	—0 34
Manjarabad (Saklespur) ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 23	—0 23
Arkalgud ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 45	—0 45
Belur ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 36	—0 36
Channarayapatna ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 19	—0 19
Arsikere ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 31	—0 31
Hole-Narsipur ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 26	—0 26
Alur ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 35	—0 35
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 31	—0 31
SHIMOGA.					
Shimoga ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 21	—0 21
Channagiri ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 20	—0 20
Honnali ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 34	—0 34
Shikarpur ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 13	—0 13
Sorab ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 15	—0 15
Sagar ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 22	—0 22
Nagar (Kallurkatte) ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 24	—0 24
Tirthahalli ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 22	—0 22
Kumsi ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 15	—0 15
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 21	—0 21
KADUR.					
Chikmagalur ..	0 00	0 10	0 00	0 41	—0 41
Kadur ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 28	—0 28
Tarikere ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 30	—0 30
Koppa ..	0 04	0 01	0 04	0 36	—0 32
Mudgere ..	0 43	0 03	0 43	0 29	+0 14
Narasimharajpura ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 16	—0 16
Sringeri ..	0 00	0 00	0 86	0 24	+0 62
Dist. Average ..	0 07	0 02	0 19	0 29	—0 10
CHITALDRUG.					
Chitaldrug ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 41	—0 41
Challakere ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 32	—0 32
Hiriyur ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 21	—0 21
Holalkere ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 29	—0 29
Davangere ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 15	—0 15
Molakalmuru ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 36	—0 36
Jagalur ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 47	—0 47
Hosdurga ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 28	—0 28
Harihar ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 24	—0 24
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 30	—0 30
Provincial Average	0 02	0 02	0 03	0 33	—0 30

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS IN SEERS PER RUPEE AND MARKET FLUCTUATIONS IN PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 9TH WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 26TH FEBRUARY 1944.

	Kind of grains	*This week*	*Past week*	*Past ten years' fortnightly average*
		Srs.	Srs.	Srs.
Bangalore	Rice, 2nd sort ..	3·0 to 4·0	3·0 to 4·0	6·0
	Ragi ..	6·5	6·5	16·0
	Horsegram ..	4·5	4·5	12·0
	Kadale ..	2·0 to 2·25	2·0 to 2·25	7·0
Kolar	Rice, 2nd sort ..	3·7	3·7	7·0
	Ragi ..	7·2	7·2	13·0
	Horsegram ..	4·3	4·1	11·0
	Kadale ..	2·4	2·4	7·0
Tumkur	Rice, 2nd sort ..	4·25	3·75	3·0
	Ragi ..	7·25	7·25	16·0
	Horsegram ..	4·5	4·5	7·5
	Kadale ..	3·0	3·0	6·5
Mysore	Rice, 2nd sort ..	3·75	3·75	7·0
	Ragi ..	7·0	7·0	16·0
	Horsegram ..	4·25	4·25	18·0
	Kadale ..	2·25	2·25	7·0
Mandya	Rice, 2nd sort ..	4·25	4·25	5·0
	Ragi ..	7·0	7·0	10·0
	Horsegram ..	5·0	5·0	9·5
	Kadale ..	2·0	2·0	3·0
Hassan	Rice, 2nd sort ..	4·0	4·0	7·0
	Ragi ..	7·75	7·75	18·0
	Horsegram ..	4·25	4·25	9·0
	Kadale ..	2·50	2·5	6·0
Shimoga	Rice, 2nd sort ..	4·5	4·5	5·5
	Ragi ..	7·75	7·75	10·0
	Horsegram ..	4·5	4·5	10·0
	Kadale ..	2·0	2·0	6·0
Kadur	Rice, 2nd sort ..	4·0	4·0	8·0
	Ragi ..	7·5	7·5	16·0
	Horsegram ..	4·5	4·5	10·0
	Kadale ..	2·75	2·75	6·0
Chitladrug	Rice, 2nd sort..	4·5	4·5	6·0
	Ragi ..	7·75	7·75	16·0
	Horsegram ..	5·0	5·0	15·0
	Kadale ..	2·0	2·0	7·0

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8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of the harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks on the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi and paddy in parts of Bangalore North and Devanahalli Taluks; ragi in parts of Channapatna, Anekal and Nelamangala Taluks; and ragi and sugarcane in parts of Bangalore South Taluk.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" in Nelamangala Town. Necessary action to check the spread of the disease is reported to have been taken.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Vaishaki paddy is being sown in some parts of Srinivaspur, Mulbagal and Chintamani Taluks.

Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane are reported to be in good condition.

10. Good.

11. "Rinderpest" is said to prevail in some villages in Malur, Chikballapur, Chintamani and Kolar Taluks. Necessary preventive measures to check the spread of the disease have been adopted.

Labour classes find sufficient labour.

Water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

Seeds Sown.—Nil.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy in Tumkur and Madhugiri taluks; cotton, wheat, and jola in Sira Taluk; paddy, castor, bengalgram and jola in Pavagada Taluk; paddy, sugarcane and horsegram in Turuvekere Taluk; avare and sugarcane in Tiptur Taluk; sugarcane and paddy in Kortagere Taluk; sugarcane in Kunigal Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane in Kunigal and Kortagere taluks; kar-ragi, haraka, navane and save in Tiptur Taluk; paddy, castor and horsegram in Turuvekere Taluk are reported to have been harvested during the week.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of 'Rinderpest' in Chandur village in Turuvekere Taluk; Tirumani and Palavalli and Husanpura in Pavagada Taluk and 'Rinderpest' and 'Parasitic diarrhœa' in Echannor and Anagondanahalli. Preventive measures are reported to have been adopted. Small-pox is reported to be prevailing in Ryapet, Palavalli, Harikyathanahalli, Hosahalli, Nidagal, Kyathaganacherlu and Sulenaikanahalli in Pavagada Taluk. Medical and Sanitary Officers are reported to have been addressed in the matter.

Out of the extent of 31,780 acres and 18 guntas granted for cultivation under the "Grow More Food Campaign Scheme", an extent of 10,056 acres and 17 guntas has been cultivated with food crops. The raiyats are being encouraged to grow more food crops.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Tobacco, bengalgram in Periyapatna Taluk; cotton in Nanjangud, Gundlupet and Mysore; sugarcane in T.-Narsipur and Chamarajnagar; castor, mulberry and paddy in Chamarajnagar are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in Periyapatna and Krishnarajnagar; Paddy, Avare, Horsegram in Periyapatna; and sugarcane in T.-Narsipur are reported to be harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

Sufficient labour and wages are available to labouring classes.

It is reported that plague is prevailing in some parts of Krishnarajnagar and Heggaddevankote town. Necessary preventive measures are reported to be taken to check the spread of the epidemic.

11. Water and fodder are available for cattle.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" in some parts of Mysore, Chamarajnagar, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, Heggaddevankote and Periyapatna Taluks. Necessary action is being taken to check the spread of the disease.

MANDYA.

8. Fairly well supplied.

Seeds Sown.—Sugarcane and kar-ragi are reported to have been planted in the taluks of Mandya and Seringapatam.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane is reported to be good in Mandya, Malvalli, Maddur, French-Rocks and Seringapatam Taluks.

Recent rains are reported to have been useful to prepare the lands for sowing pulses in the taluks.

9. *Crops Harvested.*—Paddy and ragi are being harvested in Malvalli Taluk; sugarcane and paddy in Mandya Taluk and sugarcane in some parts of French-Rocks taluk are reported to be harvested.

10. *Public Health.*—Public health is reported to be generally good except for in continuance of plague in Maddur and Nagamangala towns. Necessary precautionary measures have been taken to arrest the spread of the epidemic. The state of food stocks is reported to be fair. No relief is reported to be required.

Fodder and water are reported to be available.

11. Cattle are generally healthy except for "Rinderpest" in Malvalli, Mandya, Maddur, Krishnarajpet and French-Rocks Taluks, and "blackquarter" in some parts of French-Rocks Taluk. Action is being taken to arrest the diseases.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied. There is dearth for rice and ragi in all the local markets for which arrangements have been made to supply the same from the available places and Emergency Stock Depots.

Seeds Sown.—'Kar-paddy' is being sown in the Hassan Taluk.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Horsegram and bengalgram in the Hassan Taluk and sugarcane in the Channarayapatna Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in the Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur and Alur Taluks; ragi in the Arsikere and Arkalgud Taluks; and sugarcane in the Belur Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are favourable.

11. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Rinderpest" in some villages of Hassan, Belur, Manjarabad and Arkalgud Taluks, in Bediganahalli and Akkanahalli in the Channarayapatna Taluk, in Siddapur of Palya Hobli in Honnavalli of K. Hoskote Hobli and in Kasaba Hobli of Alur Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are reported to have been addressed for taking remedial measures to check the spread of the disease.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—

Seeds Sown.—Nil.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in the taluks of Shimoga, and Sagar and paddy and sugarcane in the taluks of Honnali, Shikarpur, Nagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi. Ragi and jola in the taluk of Channagiri; and areca in the taluk of Tirthahalli are being harvested.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri and Sorab and cotton in Chennagiri Taluk are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour. Food-grains are available.

11. "Rinderpest" is reported to be still prevailing in all the taluks. The concerned Veterinary Inspectors are reported to be taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

Fodder and water are available.

12. Out of the extent of 13,302 acres and 16 guntas granted under "Grow More Food Scheme", an extent of 5,754 acres and 23 guntas has been brought under cultivation. The Amildars have been directed to see that the entire extent granted is brought under cultivation and that only food and fodder crops are grown therein.

KADUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane and bengalgram in Chikmagalur Taluk; wheat, summerjola and bengalgram in Kadur Taluk; sugarcane in Koppa Taluk are the standing crops.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane and bengalgram in Chikmagalur Taluk; paddy and ragi in Kadur Taluk; sugarcane in Koppa Taluk; coffee and cardamom in Mudgere Taluk; paddy, areca, coffee and sugarcane, in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk are being harvested.

Public Health.—Plague is reported to be prevailing in Kadur and Birur Towns and in Sakrepatna Village in Kadur Taluk; small-pox in some parts of Koppa Taluk. Preventive measures are being taken to check the spread of the diseases. Public health in the other parts of the district is reported to be good. Sufficient labour is available and the condition of the labouring class is satisfactory.

10. Seasonal condition is reported to be good throughout the district.

11. "Rinderpest" is reported to be prevailing in some parts of Koppa Taluk. The District Veterinary and Live-Stock Officer has been addressed to take needful action for the suppression of the disease. Cattle in the other parts of the district are reported to be in good condition. Fodder and water are reported to be available throughout the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. There is dearth for rice, ragi and jola in the markets. Arrangements have been made for the supply of these articles from the Emergency Depots and other available places.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—It is reported that transplantation of paddy in Hiriyur Taluk is in progress.

Standing Crops.—Castor, jola, groundnut, paddy, cotton etc., are reported to be in fair condition in all the Taluks except in parts of Chitaldrug and Hiriyur Taluks were cotton and bilijola have suffered to some extent due to recent heavy rains.

Harvests.—Thogari in Hiriyur Taluk; bengalgram, cotton and jola in Holalkere Taluk; castor in Hosdurga Taluk are reported to have been harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be satisfactory throughout the district and cooly classes are finding sufficient labour all over the district.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district, except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" disease in some parts of Hosdurga, Holalkere and Harihar Taluks.

Necessary preventive measures are reported to have been taken by the Veterinary Department to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are at present available throughout the district.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES CURRENT (RETAIL) OF RICE (2ND SORT), RAGI AND HORSEGRAM, AT THE SEVERAL TALUK HEADQUARTERS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 26TH FEBRUARY 1944.

District	Taluk	*Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.* Rice, 2nd sort	Ragi	Horsegram
		Srs. Ch.	Srs. Ch.	Srs. Ch.
Bangalore	Bangalore North	3 0 to 4 0	6 8	4 8
	Bangalore South	3 8	7 8	5 0
	Hoskote ..	3 8	7 8	4 8
	Dodballapur ..	4 0	7 8	4 0
	Nelamangala ..	3 8	7 8	5 0
	Kankanhalli ..	4 12	7 8	4 0
	Magadi ..	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Channapatna ..	3 8	7 4	4 0
	Anekal ..	4 0	7 8	4 0
	Devanhalli ..	3 8	7 8	4 0
	Closepet ..	3 8	7 4	5 0
Kolar	Kolar ..	3 4	7 0	5 0
	Bowringpet ..	3 4	7 0	4 0
	Chintamani ..	3 4	7 0	4 12
	Mulbagal ..	3 12	7 0	4 0
	Sidlaghatta ..	3 8	7 0	3 8
	Chikballapur ..	3 12	7 0	4 0
	Bagepalli ..	3 12	8 0	4 0
	Goribidnur ..	3 4	7 0	3 8
	Malur ..	3 4	7 4	5 0
	Srinivaspur ..	3 4	7 0	4 0
	Gudibanda ..	3 12	7 0	4 0
Tumkur	Tumkur ..	4 4	7 4	4 8
	Madhugiri ..	4 0	6 12	4 0
	Chiknayakanhalli	4 0	7 25	4 0
	Sira ..	3 8	6 12	3 8
	Gubbi ..	4 25	7 4	4 0
	Tiptur ..	4 0	7 4	4 0
	Pavagada ..	4 0	6 8	5 0
	Kunigal ..	4 8	7 4	4 25
	Koratagere ..	4 0	7 4	4 0
	Turuvekere ..	4 0	7 25	4 8
Mysore	Mysore ..	3 12	7 0	4 4
	Chamarajnagar ..	3 10	6 12	5 0
	Hunsur ..	4 0	7 4	4 0
	Krishnarajnagar ..	3 12	6 12	5 0
	Heggaddevankote	3 12	8 0	5 0
	Gundlupet ..	3 12	7 0	4 8
	Nanjangud ..	4 0	7 0	5 0
	T-Narsipur ..	3 12	6 8	4 0
	Periyapatna ..	3 8	7 8	5 0
Mandya	Mandya ..	4 4	7 0	5 0
	Seringapatam ..	4 4	7 0	4 0
	Malvalli ..	4 0	7 0	4 0
	Krishnarajpet ..	4 4	7 0	5 0
	Nagamangala ..	4 4	7 0	4 0
	Maddur ..	4 4	7 0	4 8
	French-Rocks ..	4 4	7 0	4 8
Hassan	Hassan ..	4 0	7 12	4 8
	Manjarabad ..	4 4	7 0	4 0
	Arkalgud ..	4 8	7 12	5 0
	Belur ..	4 12	7 4	5 0
	Channarayapatna	4 4	7 0	5 0
	Arsikere ..	4 0	7 12	4 4
	Hole-Narsipur ..	3 12	7 12	5 8
	Alur ..	4 8	7 4	5 0
Shimoga	Shimoga ..	4 8	7 12	4 8
	Channagiri ..	4 4	8 8	7 8
	Honnali ..	4 4	9 0	4 0
	Shikarpur ..	4 12	7 12	3 8
	Sorab ..	4 8	..	4 4
	Sagar ..	4 8	7 0	4 0
	Nagar ..	4 12	7 0	4 0
	Tirthahalli ..	4 8	7 .	4 0
	Kumsi ..	4 8	7 8	4 0
Kadur	Chikmagalur ..	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Kadur ..	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Tarikere ..	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Koppa ..	4 0	7 0	4 8
	Mudgere ..	4 0	7 0	4 8
	Narasimharajapura	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Sringeri ..	4 0	6 12	4 8
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug ..	4 4	7 12	5 0
	Challakere ..	4 8	7 4	4 0
	Hiriyur ..	4 0	7 4	5 0
	Holalkere ..	4 0	8 8	..
	Davangere ..	4 4	8 0	8 0
	Molakalmuru ..	4 8	7 0	4 0
	Jagalur ..	4 8	7 8	4 0
	Hosdurga ..	4 4	8 4	8 0
	Harihar ..	4 4	8 0	5 0

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.
Dated Bangalore, 29th February 1944.
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M. SESHADRI,
Revenue Commissioner.

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1944.

A total of 92 attacks with 60 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 128 attacks with 49 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore reported 4 attacks with 1 death and 3 attacks with 1 death, respectively, while Kolar Gold Field Area reported 5 attacks with 5 deaths. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1943 and 1942, were 145 attacks with 82 deaths and 116 attacks with 60 deaths, respectively.

A total of 93 attacks with 36 deaths from Smallpox were reported from one village in each of Hiriyur Alur, Kadur, Koppa, Mudgere, Bowringpet, Malur, Nagamangala, Heggaddevankote, Hunsur, Hosanagar, Sagar, Shimoga, Tirthahalli and Chiknaikanhalli Taluks; from two villages in Srinivaspur Taluk, and from three villages in Pavagada Taluk; and from Kadur, Heggaddevankote, Krishnarajnagar, Sagar and Tirthahalli Towns; and from Mysore City and Kolar Gold Field Area.

A total of 14 attacks with 6 deaths from Cholera were reported from one village in Hassan Taluk and from two villages in Kankanhalli Taluk.

The State continued to remain free from Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 125 (38 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 23·7 (16·5 excluding hospital deaths), per mille of population as against 28·5 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under Plague, 1 under Malaria, 2 under Typhoid, 4 under Other Fevers, 29 under Phthisis, 10 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 78 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was normal.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station (for six days), Bangalore, returned 104 deaths (18 in hospital), representing a calculated death-rate of 38·1 (31·5 excluding hospital deaths), per mille of population as against 36·1 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Plague 6 Cholera 1, Malaria 1, Broncho Pneumonia 4, Pneumonia 6, Typhoid 1, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 13 and All Other Causes 72.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 93 (29 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 29·3 (20·2 excluding hospital deaths), per mille of population as against 29·1 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Plague 1, Smallpox 1, Malaria 1, Other Fevers 3, Phthisis 2, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 17, and All Other Causes 93. The reported mortality was high due to deaths under Dysentery and Diarrhoea.

There were 51 deaths (11 in hospitals), from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area, equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 24·3 (19·1 excluding hospital deaths), per mille of population as against 20·8 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 5 under Plague, 2 under Malaria, 5 under Other Fevers, 2 under Phthisis, 5 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 32 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was normal.

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